# IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Osamu ICHIYOSHI

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Serial No.: 09/835,518

Group Art Unit: 2684

**Technology Center 2600** 

Filed: April 17, 2001

Examiner: Trinh, Tan H.

For:

SATELLITE COMMUNICATIONS DATA DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM CAPABLE OF

PROVIDING A LOT OF DATA IN RESPONSE TO A USER'S REQUEST

Honorable Commissioner of Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

#### **EXCESS CLAIM FEE PAYMENT LETTER**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

	AFTER AMENDMENT	PREV. PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	FEE DUE
Total Claims	29 -	20	= 9	x \$18.00	\$ 162.00
Indep. Claims	5 -	5	= 0	x \$86.00	\$ -

#### TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT

\$ 162.00

A check in the amount of \$162.00 to cover the excess claim fees is attached hereto. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

Respectfully Submitted,

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### AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 19, 2003, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

## **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

Claims 1-29 are all the claims presently pending in the application. Claims 1-19 are amended to more clearly define the invention and claims 20-29 are added. Claims 1, 8, 11, 16, and 19 are independent.

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